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- Shikshanmaharshi Dr. Bapuji Salunkhe**

**Shri Swami Vivekanand Shikshan Sanstha's  
Vivekanand College, Kolhapur (An Empowered Autonomous Institute)  
Department of Microbiology in collaboration with IQAC  
Academic year 2025-2026**

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**Guest Lecture by Mr. Krushnakant Kumthekar  
On  
Preparation Strategies For Competitive Examination In Life Sciences  
10<sup>th</sup> February 2026**

**2025-26**



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2025-26



**Quality Initiatives/ Activities Report**

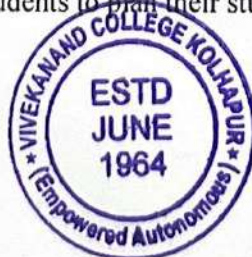
1. **Name of Department:** Department Of Microbiology, Kolhapur
2. **Name of Organized Activity:** Guest lecture
3. **Date/ Duration:** One day , Dates – 10/02/2025.
4. **Aims and Objectives:**
  1. To create awareness among students about various national and state level competitive examination..
  2. To guide students on effective preparation strategies and study planning.
  - 3.To motivate students to start early preparation for competitive exams .
5. **No. of beneficiaries:** Total number – 70 ,Female- 55 , Male - 15
6. **Expenditure & funding agency:** Nil

**7. Brief description:**

Department of Microbiology , Vivekanand College , Kolhapur has organized Guest Lecture on “Preparation Strategies for Competitive Examination in life sciences” by Mr. Krushnakant Kumthekar (CSIR NET, GATE)” on 10<sup>th</sup> February 2026 . The purpose of organizing guest lecture was to guide students who aspire to appear for various competitive examination in the future .The resource person shared valuable insights on effective study techniques, time management ,and the importance of consistency in preparation .Students were introduced to various competitive examinations , their syllabus patterns, and the importance of building a strong conceptual foundation. The lecture also highlights the use of reference books online resources and mock test to improve performance.

**8.Outcomes:**

1. Students gained awareness about different competitive examinations and their importance .
2. Students understood effective strategies for systemic preparation.
- 3.The lecture motivated students to plan their studies and focus on career goals .



9. Photos



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 Ms. V. V. Misal

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**Notice**

Date- 09/02/2025

All the students of B.Sc. & M.Sc. Microbiology are hereby informed that Department of Microbiology in collaboration with IQAC has organized a Guest lecture of Mr. Krushnakant Kumthekar (CSIR NET, GATE) on the topic "Career opportunities in Microbiology", on 10<sup>th</sup> February 2026 at 11.30 a.m. in room no. 415. The lecture aims to create awareness about various career paths , higher education and industry opportunities available in the field of Microbiology.

All the students are requested to attend the lecture punctually and compulsorily and make the best use of this opportunity.



*Gaupale*  
Dr. T. C. Gaupale  
I/C Head

**Department of Microbiology  
Vivekanand College, Kolhapur  
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To,  
Krushnakant Kumthekar,  
(CSIR NET, GATE)

**Subject:** - Regarding invitation as resource person.

Respected Sir,

With reference to the above subject the Department of Microbiology in collaboration with IQAC, Vivekanand College, Kolhapur is going to organize an online guest lecture on "Preparation Strategies for Competitive Examination in life sciences" on 10<sup>th</sup> February 2026 and we get pleasure to invite you as resource person for the same. We believe that your lecture will be definitely helpful to our students in future.

Thanking you

Yours faithfully,



for  
Dr. T.C. Gaupale  
I/C Head

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**Academic Year 2025-2026**

**Guest Lecture on “Preparation Strategies For Competitive Examination In  
Life Sciences**

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**PROGRAMME SCHEDULE**

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| ❖ Inauguration of function<br>by watering the plant | Mr. Krushnakant Kumthekar                            |
| ❖ Welcome of Guest                                  | Dr. T. C. Gaupale<br>HOD. Department of Microbiology |
| ❖ Introduction Of Guest                             | Ms. V. V. Misal                                      |
| ❖ Speaker   | Mr. Krushnakant Kumthekar                            |
| ❖ Vote of Thanks                                    | Dr. K. K. Bhise                                      |

**Date – 10/02/2026**

**Venue- Room no. 415**

**Time- 12:00 pm**

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Department of Microbiology and Internal Quality Assurance Cell  
Academic Year 2025-26

Guest lecture

On

How to prepare for competitive exams in Life Sciences

Date: 10/02/2026

Time: 12:00 pm to 1.00 pm

Attendance of students

Sr. No.	Name of Student	Class	Signature
Boys			
1.	Aditya Patil	B.Sc F.Y	
2.	Raju Tanaji Patil	B.Sc FY	
3.	Shubham C. Gaikwad	B.Sc FY	
4.	Tukaram D. Gutte	BSC SY	
5.	Rohan Ravindra Sawant	M.Sc SY	
6.	Shreeshaile Mallappa, Surgali	M.Sc SY	
7.	Rahul Gautam Malavi	M.Sc II	
8.	Georabh Rajaram Santopal	M.Sc-II	
9.	Ahwar Ramdas Gurav	M.Sc-II	
10.	Hankhan Vinay Kadakare	B.Sc TY	
11.	Unmesh Yashwant Patil	BSC II	
12.	Akmal shabbir Sayyad	B.S.C-I <sup>st</sup>	
13.	Adiraj Dipak Katkar	BSC-I <sup>st</sup>	
14.	<del>XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX</del>	<del>BSC-I<sup>st</sup></del>	<del>XXXXXXXXXXXX</del>
15.	<del>XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX</del>	<del>BSC-I<sup>st</sup></del>	<del>XXXXXXXXXXXX</del>
16.	<del>Piyadarshani Amar Satohar</del>		



Sr. No.	Name of Student	Class	Signature
Girls			
<del>10</del> 1)	Samruddhi Vijay shinde	B.SC-II	S.V.Shinde
2)	Pranali Mhalappa Vhanmane	B.Sc.II	<del>P.Vhanmane</del>
3)	Taruna Vishnu Nirankari	BSC III	<del>Taruna</del>
4)	Disha. Jai Prampdas. Pidwani	BSC III	Disha
5)	Sakshi Bhaskar Korane	BSc II	<del>S.B.Korane</del>
6)	Simran Mahamad Pendhari	Bsc II	<del>Simran</del>
(7)	Tanishka. Rahul. Divase	B.Sc-III	<del>Tanishka</del>
(8)	Preeti. Pramod. Patil	B.Sc-III	<del>Preeti</del>
9)	Banjyoti. Ramchandra. Patil	B.Sc-III	<del>Banjyoti</del>
10)	Gouri. Vidyasagar. Gutav	B.Sc-III	<del>Gouri</del>
11)	Achal. Bhaskar. Patil	B.Sc III	<del>Achal</del>
12)	Sonika Arun Kumbhar.	BSC III	<del>Sonika</del>
13)	Rutyja Suresh Kumbhar.	BSC III	<del>Rutyja</del>
14)	Samruddhi Suresh Patil	BSC I	<del>Samruddhi</del>
15	Sonika Balu Phangar	BSC. I	<del>Sonika</del>
16	Asiya Dastgir Nadaf	B.SC.II	<del>Asiya</del>
17.	Priyadarshani Amar Salokhe	BSC.I	<del>Priyadarshani</del>
18.	Shravani Shashikant Patil	Bsc I	<del>Shravani</del>
19.	Aishwarya Hanakishor Poi	Bsc I	<del>Aishwarya</del>
20.	Sanekruti Santosh Kamat.	Msc-I	<del>Sanekruti</del>
21.	Aishwarya Ganesh Hajare.	Msc-I	<del>Aishwarya</del>
22.	Sanika Dhanraj Kachare.	Msc-I	<del>S.D.Kachare</del>
23.	Vaishnavi Jitendra Khot	Msc I	<del>Vaishnavi</del>
24.	Sayali Shivoji Patil	Msc I	<del>Sayali</del>
25.	Tyoti Sondip shinde	Msc I	<del>Tyoti</del>
26	Sukshi Deepak Koli	M.Sc-II	<del>Sukshi</del>
27	Tasneem Bhola Nadaf.	B.Sc-II	<del>T.N.Nadaf.</del>
28	Samruddhi Sudhir Patil	Msc II	<del>Samruddhi</del>
29	Sanovar Selim Mulla	M.Sc.II	<del>Sanovar</del>
30	Priti Anil Tangade	MSc II	<del>Priti</del>



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<del>31</del> Girls			
32	Rushita Dinkar Powar	M.Sc II	<del>Powar</del>
32	Shorayu Pradeep Bhosale	M.Sc II	<del>Bhosale</del>
33	Dhanashri Raju Balekundri	M.Sc II	<del>IRB</del>
34	Kalyani Dipak Yadav	M.Sc II	<del>Yadav</del>
35	Vaishnavi Vijay Chavan	M.Sc II	<del>Chavan</del>
36	Sanika Jagar Chavan	M.Sc II	<del>Chavan</del>
37	Samina Firoz Mulani	M.Sc II	<del>Mulani</del>
38	Shrutika Manik Pardeshi	M.Sc II	<del>Pardeshi</del>
39	Sanika Prakash Thorbole	M.Sc II	<del>Sanika</del>
40	Amruta Eknath Patil	B.Sc III	<del>Amruta Patil</del>
41	Sakshi Chougale	B.Sc III	<del>Sakshi</del>
42	Samadhi B. Patil	M.Sc II	<del>Patil</del>
43	Apeksha Rajendra Chougale	B.Sc I	<del>Apeksha</del>
44	Jayshri Koushmat Sutars	M.Sc I	<del>Sutars</del>
45	Aabida Altaf Mujawar	M.Sc I	<del>Mujawar</del>
46	Prachi Sanjay Mali	M.Sc I	<del>Mali</del>
47	Tshwari Pradeep Kachare	M.Sc I	<del>Kachare</del>
48	Samrudhi Dhanaji Wadkar	M.Sc I	<del>Wadkar</del>
49	Reveti Gajanan Bhinge	M.Sc II	<del>Bhinge</del>
50	Rasika Sanjay Bhosale	M.Sc II	<del>Bhosale</del>
51	Puliti Dekaram Sabale	B.Sc - II	<del>Sabale</del>
52	Gauri Pramod Paut	B.Sc - II	<del>Paut</del>
53	Sakshi Rajesh Chougale	B.Sc - III	<del>Chougale</del>
54	Sanjana P. Patil	B.Sc - III	<del>Patil</del>



## Letter of Appreciation

It gives me an immense pleasure to put on record my heartiest thanks to Krushnakant Kumthekar,(CSIR NET, GATE), for delivering informative and thought provoking online lecture on "Preparation Strategies for Competitive Examination in life sciences" organized by Department of Microbiology in collaboration with IQAC, Vivekanand College, Kolhapur on 10<sup>th</sup> February 2026.

It was really a splendid lecture. All the students appreciated and got benefited from your views on the subject.

We sincerely thanks for accepting our invitation and enlightening the students with your expert guidance.

Thanking You,

Place: Kolhapur

Date: 10/02/2026



  
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Guest- Mr. Krushnakant Kumthekar (CSIR NET, GATE)

Date-10/02/2026

Time-11:30 am onwards

### Student Feedback Form for Guest Lecture

As a part of continuing improvement process, our college appreciates suggestion and inputs regarding the 'Guest Lecture'. We request you to sincerely answer this question under assurance of complete confidentiality. Your interest in making our institute better is greatly appreciated.

- ❖ Students are required to rate the speaker on the following attribute using the 4 point scale.

A – Very good      B- Good      C- Satisfactory      D- Unsatisfactory

Parameter	A	B	C	D
Your perception of his/her knowledge	✓			
Communication skill	✓			
Sincerity /commitment	✓			
Stimulating interest in subject	✓			
Ability to make the subject relevant to profession & life	✓			
Overall rating	✓			

- Name of the student - Raju Tanaji Patil
- Signature- *Raju Patil*



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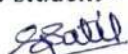
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- Name of the student - Samruddhi Sudhir Patil
- Signature- 



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- Name of the student - *Trajalokya Nitin Dalvi*
- Signature- *[Signature]*

